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**Session Year 2013**  
**Substitute for H.B. No. 5900**

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**Introducer(s):**

Government Administration and Elections Committee

**Title:** AN ACT REQUIRING MORE TRANSPARENCY IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND THE STATE EDUCATION RESOURCE CENTER.

**Statement of Purpose:** To subject the State Education Resource Center to competitive bidding and Freedom of Information Act requirements and to require the Department of Education to submit an annual report to certain legislative committees regarding contracts awarded by the department or the center, sources of funding and amounts paid to employees and consultants of the department or center.

**Bill History:**

01/24/13 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Government Administration and Elections Committee

02/04/13 RESERVED FOR SUBJECT MATTER PUBLIC HEARING

02/14/13 PUBLIC HEARING 02/22

03/04/13 VOTE TO DRAFT

03/27/13 DRAFTED BY COMMITTEE

03/28/13 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Government Administration and Elections Committee

04/05/13 JOINT FAVORABLE SUBSTITUTE

04/08/13 FILED WITH LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE

04/17/13 REFERRED TO OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH AND OFFICE OF FISCAL ANALYSIS 04/22/13-5:00 PM

04/23/13 REPORTED OUT OF LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE

04/23/13 FAVORABLE REPORT, TABLED FOR THE CALENDAR, HOUSE

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**Co-sponsor(s):**

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